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EXTRAORDINARY

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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Co-operation (C) Department ORDER

G.O.(P)No.32/2024/Co-op.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, <u>24th February</u>, <u>2024</u> 11th Kumbham, 1199

S. R. O. No. 227/2024

WHEREAS, under sub-section (1) of section 33 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Act, 1969 (21 of 1969), the term of an administrator or an administrative committee appointed to manage the affairs of a society shall not exceed one year in the aggregate;



AND WHEREAS, the said term of one year of the administrator appointed under sub-section (1) of section 33 of the said Act to manage the affairs of the Pullur Service Co-operative Bank Limited No. 2183 Kasargod District expired on 31st December, 2019;

AND WHEREAS, under sub-section (1A) of section 33 of the said Act, the Government may, by notification in the Gazette, for reason to be recorded, permit the Registrar of Co-operative Societies to extend the term of the said administrator or administrative committee for a further period not exceeding one year in the aggregate or till a newly elected committee enters upon office, whichever is earlier;

AND WHEREAS, the term of the administrator was extended further for a period of one year from 1st January, 2020 to 31st December, 2020 in pursuance of Notification issued under G.O.(P)No.166/2020/Co-op dated 20th December, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No.85/2021 in Kerala Gazette Extraordirnary No. 397 dated 30th January, 2021 and extended further for a period of one year from 1st January, 2021 to 31st December, 2021 in pursuance of notification issued under G.O.(P) No.79/2022/Coop. dated 19th May, 2022 and published as S.R.O. No.588/2022 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.1929 dated 10th June, 2022 and extended further for a period of two years from 1st January, 2022 to 31st December, 2023 in pursuance of notification issued under G.O.(P) No.33/2023/Coop. dated 6th February, 2023 and published as S.R.O. No.192/2023 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.459 dated 8th February, 2023, the period so extended also expired on 31st December, 2023;

AND WHEREAS, the Registrar of Co-operative Societies has reported that the election to the said Bank could not be conducted within the above said period due to the



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writ petition (WP(C)No.23767/19) in connection with the election to the managing committee of said society, is still pending before the Hon'ble High Court and therefore requested to extend the term of the administrator for a further period of one year from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024 or till a newly elected committee enters upon office whichever is earlier to avoid administrative vacuum;

AND WHEREAS, the Government have examined the matter in detail and are satisfied that it is necessary, in public interest, to permit the Registrar of Co-operative Societies to extend the term of the administrator appointed to manage the affairs of the said Bank for a further period of one year from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024 or till a newly elected committee enters upon office, whichever is earlier;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Act, 1969 (21 of 1969), the Government of Kerala hereby direct that the provisions of sub-section (IA) of Section 33 of the said Act shall apply to the Pullur Service Co-operative Bank Limited No. 2183 Kasargod District with the modification of substituting the words "five years" instead of "one year" and in exercise of the powers under sub-section (IA) of section 33 of the said Act, as so modified, permit the Registrar of Co-operative Societies to extend the term of the administrator appointed to manage the affairs of the said bank for a further period of one year from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024 or till a newly elected committee enters upon office, whichever is earlier, to avoid administrative vacuum in the said Society.

By order of the Governor,

SHIBI ABRAHAM.,Joint Secretary to Government



Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The term of the administrator appointed under Sub-section (1) of Section 33 of the Kerala Co-operative Societies Act, 1969 (21 of 1969), to manage the affairs of the Pullur Service Co-operative Society Limited No. 2183 in Kasargod District expired on 31st December, 2020. The term was lastly further extended for a period of two years from 1st January, 2022 to 31st December, 2023 in pursuance of notification issued under G.O.(P) No.33/2023/Coop. dated 6th February, 2023 and published as S.R.O. No.192/2023 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No.459 dated 8th February, 2023, the period so extended also expired on 31st December, 2023. The Registrar of Co-operative Societies has reported that election to the said Bank could not be conducted within the above said period due to the writ petition (WP(C)No. 23767/19) in connection with the election to the managing committee of said society is still pending before the Hon'ble High Court and there for requested to extend the term of the administrator for a further period of one year from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024. The Government have examined the matter in detail and decided to permit the Registrar of Co-operative Societies to extend the term of the administrator of the said society for a further period of one year from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024 or till a newly elected committee enters upon office, whichever is earlier, to avoid administrative vacuum in the said society.

This order is intended to achieve the above object.

